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METHOD FOR COOKING A PIZZA

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Box AF Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:



Applicants have received the Advisory Action dated September 5, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## In the Claims

Please amend claim 22 to recite as follows:

22. (Twice Amended) A method for cooking a pizza comprising the steps of:

placing a pizza on a generally circular, rotatable food support member having a central axis of rotation wherein the food support member is adapted to be disposed in a substantially horizontal orientation and the pizza is positioned over the axis of rotation of the food support member; and

rotating the pizza contained on the food support member multiple times through a heating chamber defined by upper and lower housings, the upper and lower housings extending over and under respectively only a portion of the food support member such that heating members in the housings apply heat to only a portion of the pizza as the portion of the pizza rotates through the heating chamber to cook the pizza.